IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI EASTERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

PLAINTIFF

VS.

CRIMINAL NO. 2:14-cr-5-KS-MTP-2

CORNELIUS SMITH

DEFENDANT

<u>ORDER</u>

This Cause is before the Court on Motion [143] for copy of transcript without costs. In the motion Movant states "I am pursuing a post conviction remedy and require the following documents to prepare an informed defense: 1. Sentencing Transcript." The Movant was sentenced on November 20, 2014, and the final Amended Judgment [131] was entered August 6, 2015. The Statute of Limitations has run for filing of Federal Habeas and Movant has not submitted any viable reason for the Court to furnish a free copy of the sentencing transcript.

For the reasons above stated the Court finds that the Motion should be and is hereby DENIED.

s/Keith Starrett_____UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE